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September 30, 2005

Honorable James H. Welsh  
Commissioner of Conservation  
State of Louisiana  
Post Office Box 44275  
Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70804-4275

Re: APPLICATION FOR PUBLIC HEARING.

Hosston A & B Zones, Reservoir A, and Cotton Valley  
Formation, Reservoir A, LEATHERMAN CREEK  
FIELD, Claiborne Parish, Louisiana.

Dear Sir:

SAMSON CONTOUR ENERGY E&P, L.L.C. ("Applicant"), hereby respectfully applies for a public hearing to consider evidence relative to the issuance of Orders pertaining to the following matters relating to the Hosston A Zone, Reservoir A; the Hosston B Zone, Reservoir A; and to the Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A; in the Leatherman Creek Field, Claiborne Parish, Louisiana:

1. To authorize Applicant to designate and utilize a unit well and three (3) alternate unit wells for HOSS A RA SUAA at the locations shown on an attached plat.
2. To authorize Applicant to designate and utilize three (3) alternate unit wells for HOSS B RA SUAA at the locations shown on an attached plat.
3. To authorize Applicant to designate and utilize two (2) additional alternate unit wells for CV RA SUN at the locations shown on an attached plat, in exception to the spacing provisions of Office of Conservation Order No. 987, effective October 1, 1976.
4. To authorize the operator of HOSS A RA SUAA, HOSS B RA SUAA and CV RA SUN to produce the allowables assigned to these units from the unit well, from any alternate unit well, or from any combination of such wells, at the option of the operator.
5. To find that each of the proposed alternate unit wells is necessary to efficiently and economically drain a portion of the unitized interval underlying the unit on which it is located which cannot be efficiently and economically drained by any existing well on such unit.
6. To consider such other matters as may be appropriate and justified by the evidence presented at the hearing.

The Hosston A and B Zones, Reservoir A, in Leatherman Creek Field, Claiborne Parish, Louisiana, were defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 987-B, effective December 1, 1976.

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The Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A, in the Leatherman Creek Field, Claiborne Parish, Louisiana, was defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 987, effective October 1, 1976.

Any pertinent data concerning this application will be available for inspection at the offices of Mr. Joe B. Adams, 9141 Interline Avenue, Suite 3A, Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70809. Any person wishing to inspect any such data should call Mr. Adams at (225) 929-6097 during normal business hours in order to arrange a date and time for such inspection. A copy of any such data which is not otherwise available at the Office of Conservation can be obtained from Applicant at the expense of the requesting party.

As provided by the Revised Rules of Procedure, the subject matter of this application does not require the issuance of a pre-application notice; therefore, no such notice has been issued.

Pursuant to the aforesaid Rules of Procedure, Applicant has made a reasonable effort to obtain the names and addresses of all Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties to whom notice of this application is being sent and has attached hereto a list of the names and addresses of such parties. A copy of this letter and of the attached plats is being sent to the District Manager of the Shreveport District of the Office of Conservation and to the Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties, as shown on the attached list.

Applicant will provide for posting of a copy of the Legal Notice of this hearing, and the enclosed plats, at a prominent place in the area affected and will cause publication of the Legal Notice in a newspaper published in the general area of Leatherman Creek Field, all in accordance with the Revised Rules of Procedure. Furthermore, Applicant will mail a copy of the Legal Notice to all Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties promptly upon receipt of the Legal Notice from the Commissioner.

A check payable to the Office of Conservation and covering the application fee is enclosed.

Yours very truly,



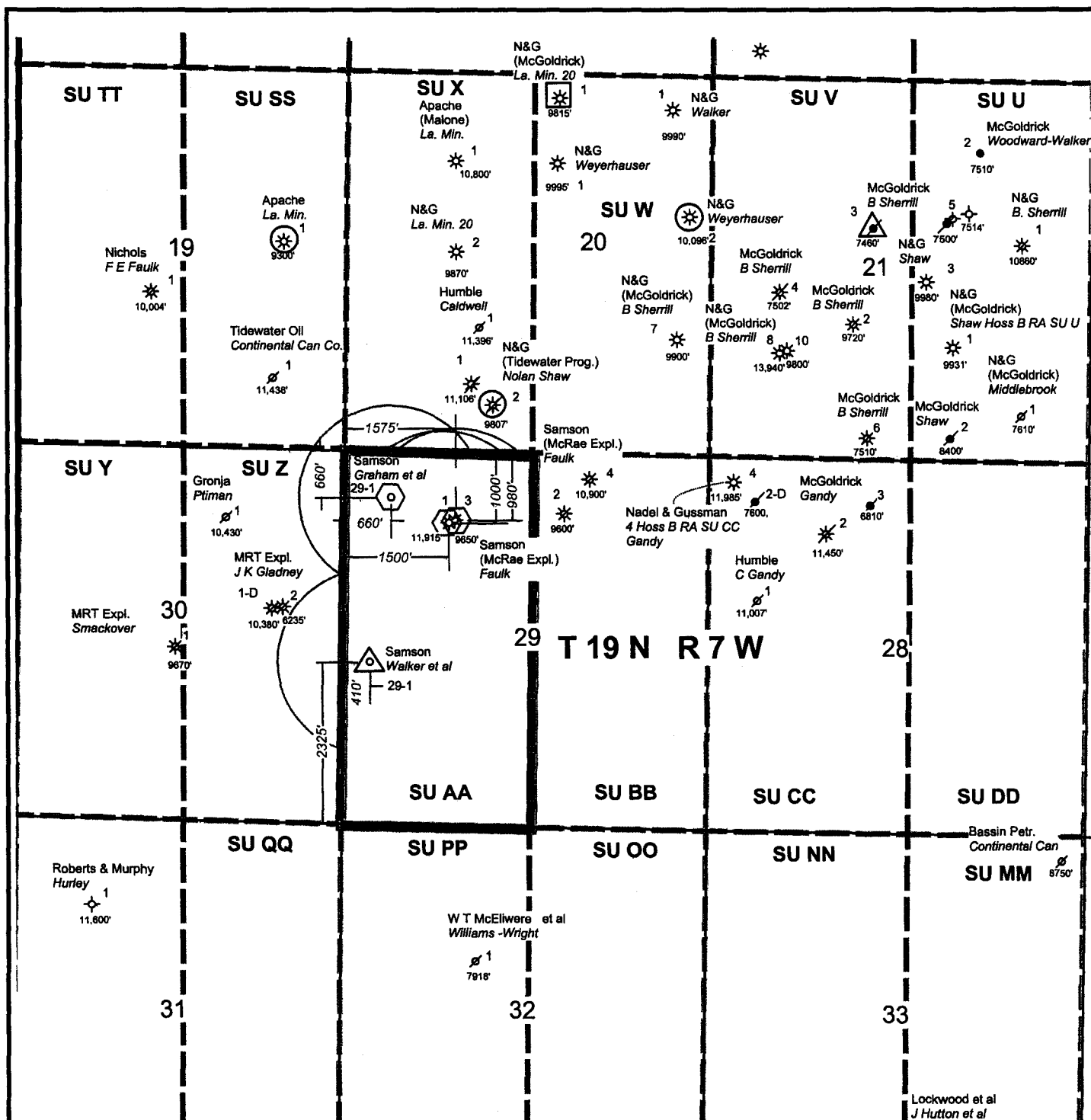
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-- Attorney for Samson Contour Energy E&P, L.L.C.

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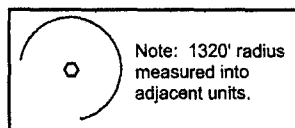
Enclosures

cc: Mr. Jim Broussard (w/encls.)  
Mr. Phillip Robinson (w/encls.)  
Mr. Joe Adams (w/encls.)  
Interested Owners, Represented  
Parties and Interested Parties (w/plats only)



Wells above 6000' not shown.

- Unit Wells
- △ Proposed Unit Well
- Alternate Unit Wells
- ⬡ Proposed Alternate Unit Wells



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Exhibit No.

**Samson Contour  
Energy E&P, LLC**

**Leatherman Creek Field**

Caliborne Parish, Louisiana

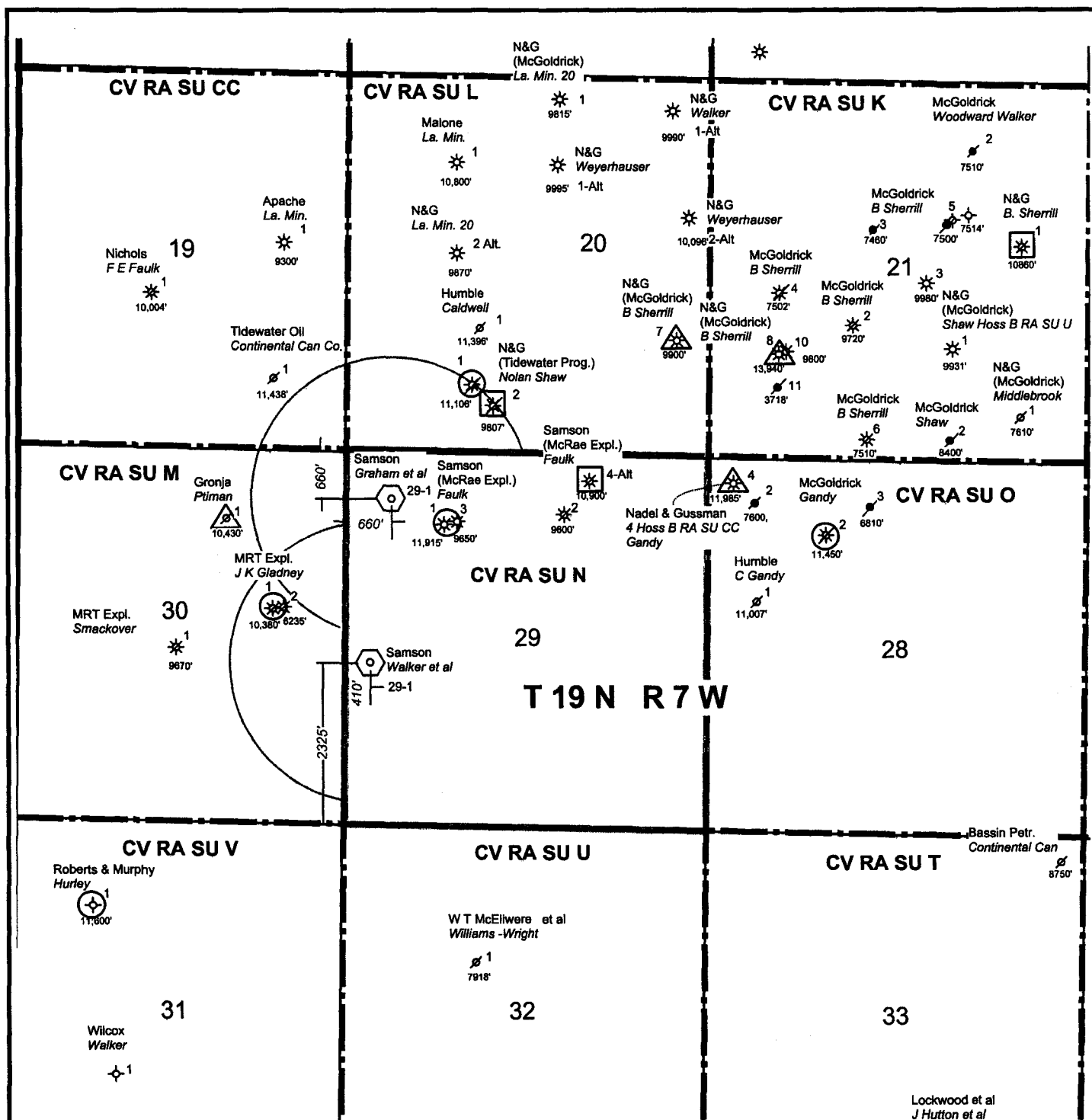
Proposed Unit &  
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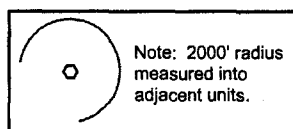
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- Unit Wells
- △ Substitute Unit Wells
- Alternate Unit Wells
- ⬡ Proposed Alternate Unit Wells



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**Proposed Alternate Unit Wells  
CV RA SU N**

Date:

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